

The United States Air Force Band

Washington, D.C.

*Colonel Lowell E. Graham, Commander/Conductor
announces*

A CALL FOR COMPOSITIONS

for the 2001 biennial

Colonel Arnald D. Gabriel Award

REQUIREMENTS:

An unpublished work for symphonic band. See contest rules for specifications.

ELIGIBILITY:

All American citizens born after October 31, 1966 except those currently involved in a military music program or who have been commissioned to write a composition for an Air Force Band.

ENTRY MATERIALS:

Full score accompanied by either a recording or full set of parts.

AWARD:

Performance by The United States Air Force Band. A \$3,000 follow on commission for an additional work.

DEADLINE:

Entries must be postmarked no later than October 31, 2001.

CONTEST RULES AND INFORMATION:

Each composer may enter only one composition. The composition must be a work for standard symphonic band instrumentation. Style, form and length are not restricted. The composition must be unpublished and cannot be under rental contract with a publisher. A letter must be included stating the composer's name, address, telephone number and date of birth. All scores must come with a stamped and self-addressed return envelope.

The judging committee will consist of The United States Air Force Band's officers, chief musical arranger and select players from The United States Air Force Band. The decision of this committee will be final.

Should no composition be deemed meritorious, no award will be given. All performance, copyright and royalty rights remain with the composer except for performances by The United States Air Force Band, which reserves the right to present the winning work in an unlimited number of performances and recordings.

SEND COMPOSITIONS TO:

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